6: Abbeville--264 (1611) 1614 Tupinamba
116, 261, 252

They are jovial: they are temperate enough especially in eating. All their meats [264] are good and well cooked.

8: Soares de Souza--323 (1570-87) 1851 Tupinamba
116, 158, 261

If they have experienced some unpleasantness they get angry to the point of wishing to die. They set out to eat soil, every day a little, until they get lean and swollen over the face and eyes. Nobody can prevail upon them to make them change their minds. They say that they have been taught such a thing by the devil and that he appears to them when they have decided to eat soil.

12: Magalhães de Gandavo--87 (2) (1576) 1922 Tupinamba
116, 261, 1576

"In every house all live together in harmony, without any dissension amongst them: on the contrary, they are so friendly with one another that what belongs to one belongs to all, and when one of them has something to eat, no matter how small, all his neighbors share in it."

13: Magalhães de Gandavo--173 (1574) 1922 Tupinamba
116, 261, 762

"...when anything worries them they become very thin; if any one is vexed at anything, he eats earth; and in this way many of them die like beasts."